

Monthly STD/HIV Epi Update

Cases diagnosed from January 1 to September 30, 2004

gonorrhea: 170

- proportion of males who have sex with males (MSM): **37%**
- gonorrhea/HIV co-infection: **8 cases**
- comparison with year-to-date (YTD) 2002 and 2003:
YTD 2002: **60% increase**
YTD 2003: **14% increase**

syphilis: 2

- comparison with YTD 2002 and 2003:
YTD 2002: **equal**
YTD 2003: **decrease of 9 cases**

chlamydia: 1,537

- comparison with YTD 2002 and 2003:
YTD 2002: **26% increase**
YTD 2003: **2% increase**

HIV: 33

- proportion of MSM: **73%**
- comparison with YTD 2002 and 2003:
YTD 2002: **increase of 11 cases**
YTD 2003: **decrease of 7 cases**